Notification of ESB PG Mid-Merit 2 Auctions – Commencing 28th September 2007

Further to industry consultation earlier in the year ESBPG is announcing that it intends to conduct two further NDC auctions in order to offer Mid-Merit type 2 products, i.e. 07:00 to 19:00 Monday to Friday, as defined in Schedule 5 of ESBPG's NDC Master Agreement. The current indicative auction dates are: September 28th and October 2nd 2007.

The Invitation to Bid documents containing firm volumes and dates will be emailed 3 business days prior to commencement of the first of these auctions to those parties who have executed an NDC Master Agreement with ESBPG. Credit cover requirements will operate similarly to the previous NDC process. The baseline prices to be used in this regard will appear in the revised auction rules, which are expected to issue by September 18th.

ESBPG is asking interested parties to register their contact information such that communications on these mid-merit 2 auctions can be consistently communicated to all parties. The contact email address is:

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ESB PG can be contacted directly at 353-1-7026755 for further information as required.